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Participants in the American Numismatic Society's 32nd Graduate Seminar in Numismatics, held in New York from June 12 to August 11, include from left, William E. Mierse, Martha K. Risser, Carla J. Oakes, Saleh K. Sari, Michel Amandry, the 1984 Visiting Scholar; Lenore M. Rouse, Joseph B. Scholten, Irving T. Gumb, and George E. Peseley.

(Photo by George S. Cuhaj)

## 1984 Graduate Seminar Concludes

The thirty-second Graduate Seminar in Numismatics at the American Numismatic Society concluded on August 11. The nine-week seminar, which included an intensive schedule of lectures, discussions and demonstrations, ended with the presentation of original research by the students during the final week. As in past years, the seminar was directed by the Society Chief Curator, William E. Metcalf and included lectures by other members of the ANS staff.

The Visiting Scholar for this year's seminar was Michel Amandry of the Bibliothèque Nationale in Paris, who delivered three papers in addition to

counseling the students.

Other invited lecturers included Dr. Pierre Bastien, Cranbury, N.J.; Prof. Giles F. Carter, Eastern Michigan University; Prof. Peter Gaspar, Washington University; Prof. Fred. S. Kleiner, Boston University; Eric P. Newman, St. Louis; Prof. Elizabeth J. Rock, Wellesley College; and Leslie Beer Tobey, Marblehead, Mass., who demonstrated the operation of an ancient mint. Lectures by the staff members are, for the most part, introductions to special fields with an emphasis on methodology and the applications of numismatics to other fields of study; out-

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## AMERICAS CONFERENCE SPEAKERS SELECTED

Fifteen speakers have been selected to present papers at the first annual Coinage of the Americas Conference to be held at the ANS, November 30-December 2, 1984. The topic of the three-session meeting is "America's Copper Coinage, 1783-1857." The schedule of papers, as determined by the Organizing Committee, is as follows:

*Friday, November 30* - Elvira Clain-Stefanelli: The Cent and the Money Economy of the Early United States; Ronald Guth: The Copper Coinage of Vermont; Donald G. Partrick: The 'Washington the Great' Cent; Eric P. Newman: Circulation of Non-Federal Coppers in the Early United States; and P. Scott Rubin: Establishing Pedigrees on 1792 Copper Patterns.

*Saturday, December 1* - John Adams: Early American Coppers - the Collectors and the Tradition; R. Tettenhorst: Overstrikes and other Anomalies on Early Half Cents; Roger Cohen: Original and Restrike Half Cents; Walter Breen: Robert Scot's Earliest Device Punches; Denis Loring: A Numismatic Detective Story (Emission Sequences on Early Cents); and George Ewing: Origins of Edge Lettering on Early American Copper Coinage.

*Sunday, December 2* - Cora Gilliland: American Copper Coinage Design in Relation to Early American Art, 1793-1857; David Cohen: The Randall Hoard; Peter Smith: Die Progression on Turban Head Cents; and Jules Reiver: Die Varieties in the Late Date Cent Series.

Following the last session, a summary of the conference will be made by Herbert Silberman.

### Exhibits Solicited

Exhibits on the theme of the conference are welcome and will be displayed in the Society's East Hall during the period of the meeting. Exhibitors may use their own standard horizontal cases; a limited number will also be available from the

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# Museum Acquires Bastien Collection

In June, the Society acquired, through a bargain sale, a collection of 2,225 late Roman copper-based coins from Dr. Pierre C. V. Bastien of West Windsor, New Jersey. The collection was assembled over a period of forty years, and is notable not only for its variety but also for its consistently high quality. In addition, it adds to a weak area of the Society's collection, particularly the western mints of the empire; for example, there are 900 coins of Lugdunum and Trier alone. The purchase is one of the largest and most important ever made by the Society.

Dr. Bastien, who is a leading student of the later Roman coinage, and has produced several works on the subject, was the Archer M. Huntington Medallist in 1975; he was awarded the Gold Medal of the Royal Numismatic Society in 1970.

Four coins are illustrated here: nos. 1-3 are a quinarius and antoniniani of Maximian, struck at Lugdunum; no. 4 is a nummus of Galerius Maximian from Lugdunum.



## FOWLER PRESIDES AT JULY MEETING

Harry W. Fowler presided over the July 20 meeting of the ANS Council as President pro tem, following the decision announced by Harry W. Bass, Jr. in April to step down as President of the Society. Mr. Fowler's first act was to welcome John H. Kroll, Associate Professor of Classics at the University of Texas at Austin, attending his first meeting as a Councillor.

To fill the position formerly held by Mr. Fowler, R. Henry Norweb, Jr., was elected First Vice-President of the Society. In addition, Mr. Fowler relinquished his position as Chairman of the Finance Committee, appointing Council Member Edward Glassmeyer to the committee as the new Chairman and Alan Coleman as an additional member of the committee.

### Nominating Committees Appointed

Two nominating committees were appointed by Mr. Fowler to report at the Annual and Corporate Reorganization Meetings of the Society next January.

Roger Hornsby will serve as Chairman of the Nominating Committee for Members of the Council. Other members are Eric P. Newman and John Leggett. The committee will present nominations for three positions on the Society's Council at the Annual Meeting on January 12, 1985.

The Nominating Committee for Officers

## FRANCIS SCHWARTZ, 42

Francis M. Schwartz, who had been a volunteer in the classical and editorial departments for many years, died on July 16 at Memorial Sloan Kettering Center for Cancer and Allied Diseases. She was 42.



(Photo by Robert J. Myers)

Her services to the ANS included *de facto* curatorship of the Roman and Byzantine collections for a period in 1972-1973, cataloguing and arrangement of the Tetrarchic and Constantinian coinage, substantial involvement in the publication of the Wheaton College, Arthur Houghton, and A. S. Dewing collections in the Society's Ancient Coins in North American Collections series, as well as data entry. The only published numismatic work which bears her name is an important study of magical gems and amulets prepared in collaboration with her husband, Professor James H. Schwartz of Columbia University's Department of Neurobiology and Behavior, but she collaborated in many works that were eventually published, and the description of an important hoard from Roman Caesarea will eventually bear her name. Mrs. Schwartz was elected a Fellow of the Society by the unanimous resolution of the Council, dated July 7, 1984.

Mrs. Schwartz was buried July 18 after a funeral service that included eulogies by Eric Kandel, Mary Anne Goldberger, and William E. Metcalf, Chief Curator of the Society. She is survived by her parents, Nat and Betty Messick of Brooklyn; her husband, her children, Peter and Daisy, and her brothers Irvine and Martin.

## ANS LIBRARY RECEIVES ADDITIONAL NEH GRANT

A renewal grant of \$24,886 received from the National Endowment for the Humanities, will enable the library staff to continue work on the revision of card catalog subject headings and compilation of a "List of Subject Heading for Specialized Collections in Numismatics." The Society's Librarian, Francis D. Campbell, has served as the director for the project since its inception.

The 5,000 headings and related cross-references edited to date have already greatly enhanced the usefulness of the card catalog as a research tool. Revisions carried out during the course of the project have included the standardization of heading subdivisions, and the creation of hundreds of geographical and topical subdivisions under headings deemed to be too general in nature. The specificity of the headings created by such subdivision permits scholars to locate topics of interest without having to search through large blocks of library catalog cards. The subject authority file constructed by the grant project staff also provides the library's cataloger, Mrs. Margaret D'Ambrosio with a source for the selection and expansion of

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# ANS Publishes Johnston Book

*The Coinage of Metapontum, Parts 1 and 2* is the latest work to be released by the Society. It is being mailed to all members who hold the Publications Subscription for 1984.

This book is a revised edition of the two publications by Sydney Noe originally issued by the Society as Numismatic Notes and Monographs Numbers 32 and 47 in 1927 and 1931, and includes not only the text, catalogue and plate sections of the earlier works, but also extensive additions and corrections by Ann Johnston. Of particular significance is Ms. Johnston's study of all the relevant hoards leading to a thorough reconsideration of the relative and absolute chronologies of the Metapontine incuse coinage.

## New Format

*Metapontum* has been published in the new format dictated by the international

## NEW PHOTO FILE BEGUN AT ANS

With the help of contributions from several ANS supporters, the Islamic and Medieval departments have created a photofile of illustrations of coins, chiefly from auction catalogues. This new resource for students, scholars, and collectors complements the file of photos of Greek, Roman and Byzantine coins which the Society has maintained and used for decades. This new file will include all hammer-struck European, Islamic and South Asian coins, as well as coins of such related groups as Sasanian, Kushan and Axumite.

Christine Ryba Curry has been hired on a part-time basis as editor of the new file. Mrs. Curry is a doctoral candidate in Medieval Studies at Fordham University and was a participant in the Society's Graduate Seminar in Numismatics in 1982.

The new file is being started on the basis of catalogues that are acquired in the future as well as a small backlog of catalogues that have not yet been included in the existing file. To supplement these, old catalogues featuring Islamic and medieval coins are sought from dealers and collectors. Such material should be addressed to the Librarian, American Numismatic Society, Broadway & 155th Street, New York, NY 10032. Like the existing Greek and Roman file, the Islamic and medieval photofile will be available for public use during regular Society hours.

Numismatic Commission for all future volumes in the Sylloge Nummorum Graecorum series. The ANS has adopted this format for its SNG fascicules beginning with Macedonia, as well as for future Numismatic Studies, Ancient Coins in North American Collections, and other suitable volumes.

*The Coinage of Metapontum, Parts 1 and 2* by Sydney P. Noe, with *Additions and Corrections* by Ann Johnston, ix, 120 pp., 44 plates, bound in cloth, is available from the ANS at \$32.00 plus postage and handling (\$1.00 U.S., \$1.50 elsewhere).

## 1984 Publications Subscription

Members holding the Subscription for 1984, in addition to receiving *Metapontum* and *The Rosen Collection*, issued earlier this year, will be sent two more books during the remainder of 1984: *The Arthur S. Dewing Collection of Greek Coins* (ACNAC 6), edited by Leo Mildenberg and *The Venetian Tornesello, a Medieval Colonial Coinage* (ANSNM 163), by Alan M. Stahl. Subscribers also receive the Society's journal, *American Numismatic Society Museum Notes*, the *Annual Report*, the quarterly *ANS Newsletter* and *Numismatic Literature*. Members of the Society are eligible to enter a Publications Subscription for the current year anytime during the calendar year. The cost for 1984 is \$45.00.

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side lecturers stress methodology as applied to particular problems.

The students and their topics are as follows: Irving T. Gumb, Institute of Fine Arts, NYU, "The Portrait of Agrippa on Roman Coinage;" William E. Mierse, Brown University, "The Temple of Augustus at Tarragona: Symbolic Image or Actual Representation?;" Carla J. Oakes, University of Iowa, "Third Century Hoarding Behavior: Comparison of Hoards from *FMRD* and Site Finds;" George E. Peseley, State University of New York, Buffalo, "The Fourth-Century Nymph-head Drachms of Sinope;" Martha K. Risser, University of Pennsylvania, "The Origin of South Italian Incuse Coinage;" Lenore M. Rouse, Fordham University, "The F REX Coins of Leon and Castile;" Saleh K. Sari, University of Michigan, "The Copper Fulūs of Aleppo under the Umayyads and Early 'Abbāsids;" Joseph B. Scholten, University of California, Berkeley, "The Chronology of Aetolian League Gold and Silver Coinage."

## DOTY RECIPIENT OF NEA AWARD

In May, Richard G. Doty was awarded a National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship for Museum Professionals. The grant will cover travel and living expenses for study in England and Wales. Doty will be in the United Kingdom next winter and early spring, continuing his research on Matthew Boulton and the industrialization of the coining process in the late eighteenth century. He will also deliver a talk before the London Coin Club on February 6, concerning the development of American colonial coinage and currency.

## NUMISMATIC SESSION PLANNED FOR ARCE MEETING

As part of the 1985 Annual Meeting of the American Research Center in Egypt, the ANS will co-sponsor a panel on "Coins and Money in Egypt." The panel will include two sessions, one at the ANS on April 25, followed by a reception for ARCE and ANS members, and one at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the site of the ARCE meeting. There will also be a small exhibit of the coinage of Egypt through the ages at the Society.

All ARCE and ANS members are invited to propose research papers to be read at one of the numismatic sessions. Papers of not longer than a half hour in length can be on any period from Pharaonic times to the present. Proposals should be submitted to Michael Bates, Curator of Islamic Coins before January 1, 1985 including a half-page abstract.

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ANS. Those interested in participating in the conference by exhibiting should contact Richard Doty at the ANS.

Two annotated slide sets are being prepared; one on "Early Copper Coinage" by Mr. Doty and a second by George Ewing, "Die Varieties of the 1794 Large Cent" based on Sheldon.

The papers of the conference will be published in book form, available for \$10 when paid with registration and \$15 after the conference. Basic registration is set at \$12, including admission to all sessions and the closing reception.



# American Design Chosen for FAO Medal

A jury has selected the design of Chester Martin of Chattanooga, Tennessee, for this year's World Food Day Medal of the Food and Agricultural Organization. The U.N. agency holds an international commemoration each year on October 16, and issues a medal for worldwide distribution to spread its message of "Food Comes First."

For 1984, the FAO selected the American Medallic Sculpture Association to hold a competition for the medal design, in keeping with its practice of designating a different country each year to design the medal. Announcements in the numismatic and art press elicited over 100 requests for specifications. Fifteen finished plasters were examined by the jury which comprised sculptors Robert Weinman and Karen Worth, FAO representative Frederick Weibgen, Cora Gilliland of the Smithsonian Numismatic Collection, and Alan Stahl of the American Numismatic Society.

The jury chose the design submitted by Chester Martin as exemplifying the goals of World Food Day while representing the finest traditions of American medallic sculpture to an international audience. The obverse of Martin's design is a bold and dramatic aerial view of a man carrying the fruits of harvest. On the reverse a woman and child are seen through a canning jar, which represents the importance of distribution in the FAO's goal of assuring all people the food they need in order to live.

Chester Martin is widely known for his graphic as well as medallic achievements. He has received awards for philatelic design, painting and watercolor. Among his most prestigious medallic commissions are the Fiftieth Anniversary Medal for the



Society of Medallists and the 1982 Brookgreen Gardens Medal. Martin's work was shown at the 1983 international exhibition of the Fédération Internationale de la Médaille in Florence, Italy, and Martin served on the U.S. delegation to that conference.

All of the designs considered in the final judging are on display in the Society's East Hall through the end of August. In October, Martin's winning plaster will be displayed along with the runner-up designs of Marika Somogyi and Eugene Daub in Washington, D.C., in an exhibition sponsored by the Agency for International Development. The Medal will be officially released on October 16 at a ceremony marking the United States participation in World Food Day.

The medal will be available to the public in two inch strikings in bronze and silver and a one inch striking in gold. Further information on ordering can be obtained from: FAO Money, 1776 F Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20437.

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subject headings in her cataloging of books and articles.

An innovation which will undoubtedly enhance control of the project and improve the reporting function is the use of the Society's computer for data entry. The sort, select, and edit functions of the computer should greatly facilitate the manipulation of data. During the coming months members of the library staff will be testing a program designed specifically for the subject heading project. This program will permit staff to enter data pertaining to subject headings, scope notes, cross-references, and Library of Congress subject headings. The inclusion of a field for Library of Congress headings will be ex-

## NATIONAL BANK NOTES SOLICITED

During the past several years, Society curator Richard Doty has been organizing and conserving the American paper money collection at the ANS. He has found that the collection has areas of surprising strength, such as those of Confederate and obsolete currency; both fields are now "on line" in the Society's computer for anyone interested.

Doty has also encountered areas of grave weakness. The most glaring (and one of the hardest to explain) is that of small-sized national bank notes. Until recently, the ANS had *no specimens whatsoever* of these notes.

An urgent call is going out for donations of small-sized national notes to the ANS collection. Upon learning of the Society's critical shortage of such material, Harry J. Forman of Forman Enterprises, Ltd. volunteered to donate a Pennsylvania issue, and has urged other dealers and individuals around the fifty states to do the same. According to Doty, the Society hopes to have at least one note from each state by the end of 1984.

### Six States Recorded

To date, six states are now represented in the Society's collection:

CALIFORNIA - Bank of Italy National Trust and Savings Assoc, San Francisco, charter 13044, gift of Charles G. Colver.  
DELAWARE - First National Bank of Dover, charter 1567, gift of Thomas E. Werner.

NEBRASKA - Stock Yards National Bank of South Omaha, charter 9908, gift of Beebe's Inc.

OHIO - First National Bank of Bryan, charter 237, gift of Harry E. Jones.

PENNSYLVANIA - First National Bank of Glen Campbell, charter 5204, gift of Forman Enterprises, Ltd. and Citizens National Bank and Trust Company of Waynesboro, charter 5832, gift of A. C. Leister.

WISCONSIN - First Wisconsin National Bank of Milwaukee, charter 64, gift of Jay M. Galst.

The Society is grateful to those who have stepped forward thus far, and particularly to Harry J. Forman for starting the project off. It is our hope to be able to publish the names of donors from the remaining 44 states in the next issue of this *Newsletter*.

extremely useful in fulfilling a major objective of the grant project. This objective is the preparation of a concordance of ANS and Library of Congress subject headings in the area of numismatics.

## GROUP ELECTS OFFICERS

The American Medallic Sculpture Association has announced the election of a slate of officers for its third year of activity. At a meeting June 9, the membership elected Alan Stahl as president, Joseph De Lorenzo and Cora Gilliland as vice-presidents, Marytonne Rouse as secretary, and Fredina Beckerman as treasurer. De Lorenzo, Rouse and Beckerman are medallic sculptors; Stahl and Gilliland are curators of the medals collections of the American Numismatic Society and the Smithsonian Numismatic Collection, respectively.





## EARLY ANS MEDALS OFFERED BY SOCIETY

The American Numismatic Society has released for sale examples of two of its medals produced early in this century. One hundred specimens of the Ernest Babelon medal of 1910, in original box of issues, are available, as well as forty of the Algernon Sydney Sullivan medal of 1908, bound in a presentation book. Proceeds from this sale of the medals will be used to set up a new fund to provide capital for future issues of Society medals.

The Babelon medal was issued in commemoration of the International Numismatic Congress held in Brussels in 1910, and honors Ernest Babelon, the renowned authority on ancient coins, who chaired the Congress. It was cosponsored by the ANS and the Belgian-Dutch Society of Friends of the Art Medal. The bronze two and one-half inch round medal is itself an object of numismatic interest in that the dies for each face were prepared by different methods of die production. The obverse portrait of Babelon was modelled by the Belgian sculptor Godefroid Devreese and transferred to the die by the then innovative pantographic method. The reverse depiction of Athena was carved directly into the dies in the traditional manner by the German engraver Rudolf Bosselt.

### First Time Offered

The Sullivan medal has never before been offered to the public. Sullivan, who served as Vice-President of the ANS and was a collector of European medals, was a prominent lawyer. After his death, his son commissioned a medal in his honor and designated the ANS to award the medal to the five candidates who scored highest each year in the New York Bar Examination. Such awards do not appear to have been carried through, and the medals, each bound into an eighty-page book dedicated to Sullivan's memory, have remained in storage until now. The bronze Medal is a plaquette, 2 1/2" by 3 1/2" by J. E. Romé, the French sculptor who was largely responsible for bringing continental metallic style and techniques to the United States at the turn of the century. It depicts a beautifully modelled portrait of Sullivan on the obverse and a symbolic scene of Age guiding Youth on the reverse.

The sale of stocks of these early medals and the creation of a special fund to finance new ones was announced by Margo Russell, Chairman of the ANS Standing Committee on Medals and Decorations. "The success of the Society's 125th Anniversary Medal has been the impetus to



*Top: Ernest Babelon medal, by Godefroid Devreese and Rudolf Bosselt, below: Algernon Sydney Sullivan medal by J. E. Romé set in memorial volume*

undertake the issue of a new series of medals. While we don't anticipate matching the rate of issue of the first decades of this century, when the ANS sponsored an average of one medal a year," said Ms. Russell, "we hope that the new pieces will be worthy artistic successors to those produced for us by such great sculptors as Victor D. Brenner, Daniel Chester French, Gutzon Borglum, and Theodore Spicer Simpson."

The Babelon medal, in original box of issue, is being sold for \$25 plus \$4 for registered mail. The Sullivan medal, bound in its presentation volume, is available for \$75 plus \$5.50 postage. Quantities of these medals are limited to

two per purchaser. A limited number of the ANS 125th Anniversary Medal are still available, at \$30 plus \$4.25 postage for the bronze and \$400 for the silver. All orders are to be addressed to: Medals, American Numismatic Society, Broadway at 155th Street, New York, NY 10032.

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of the Society comprises Margo Russell, Chairman, Arthur Houghton and John J. Slocum. This committee will report at the Corporate Reorganization Meeting of the Society's Council immediately following the Annual Meeting.

# Calendar

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- 21 Annual meeting of the Economic History Association, Chicago. Alan Stahl to speak on "Demand for Coinage: the Case of Medieval Venice"

## October

- 13 Finance Committee Meeting, 11:00 AM  
Council Meeting, 1:30 PM  
Fall Members Meeting, 3:00 PM, John H. Kroll, Associate Professor of Classics, University of Texas at Austin, to speak on "Problems in the Bronze Coinage of Athens"
- 18-19 Annual Conference of the Museum Computer Network, Ottawa, Canada

## ASSOCIATES ELECTED

Fifty-three new Associate Members were elected by the Council at its July meeting, including eight from abroad. Those elected are: Armando A. Augilera-Negrete, Guayaquil, Ecuador; Gino Albanese, Albany, NY; Carmel Avi-Itzhak, Haifa, Israel; Robert G. Ayres, Asheville, NC; Lloyd E. Beauchaine, W. Covina, CA; Richard A. Bottiglier, Lakewood, OH;

Geoffrey S. Bradshaw-Mack, New York, NY; Charles O. Browne, Medway, MA; Daniel L. Carroll, Columbus, OH; John P. Case, Marquette, MI; and Jack W. Combs, Jr., Seal Beach, CA.

Also, J. Maurice G. Cormier, Moncton, Canada; Jack DeNiro, Delray Beach, FL; Warren W. Esty, Boseman, MT; Mike Fuljenz, New Orleans, LA; Bruce A. Gibbard, Burlington, VT; Smith Ely Goldsmith, New York, NY; Karl Joseph Hartmann, München, W. Germany; John Wesley Hawes, Chicago, IL; Phillip R. Henry, Sioux City, IA; James O. Hong, New York, NY; and Terris C. Howard, Seattle, WA.

Also, Marcel V. Joaquin, Winnipeg, Canada; Ray D. Jurjako, LaGrange, IL; Abdul Latif Kanoo, Manama, Bahrain; Alan Korwin, New York, NY; William J. Leugoud, New York, NY; John F. McLaughlin III, Salamanca, NY; William E. Mierse, Providence, RI; Raymon M. Miller, Carson City, NV; Saul B. Needleman, Highland Park, IL; Hans D. Niederstrasser, West Milford, NJ; and Carla J. Oakes, Iowa City, IA.

Also, George E. Pesely, New York, NY; George J. Renner, Jr., New York, NY; Martha K. Risser, Philadelphia, PA; Vernon Roberts, Bangor, PA; Thomas D. Robertson, Iowa City, IA; Michael G. Romell, E. Longmeadow, MA; Daniel J. Rose, Sterling Heights, MI; Douglass Rosen, Union City, NJ; Lenore M. Rouse, Stony Brook, NY; and R. Scott Rubin, Hamilton Square, NJ.

Also, Salih K. Sari, Ann Arbor, MI; Samuel G. Saye, Laguna Hills, CA; Joseph B. Scholten, Berkeley, CA; Arthur B. Schweich, Los Angeles, CA; Crawford Shaw, New York, NY; Henry Steffen, Houston, TX; Grace Thompson, Fairfield, CT; Sergio Trasatti, Rome, Italy; Siegfried Von Schuckman, Caracas,

Venezuela, and John A. Weibel, Staten Island, NY.

## Reinstatement

In addition, one previous member was reinstated, John Morcom of Richmond, England.

The ANS welcomes all those interested in the study of numismatics to apply for membership and to work actively as a member to further the aims of the Society.

## ANS WELL REPRESENTED AT ANA

Richard Doty represented the ANS at the annual convention of the ANA, held this year in Detroit, July 28-August 1. Dr. Doty, Curator of Modern Coins and Paper Money, presented a talk on "Matthew Boulton and the Private Token" in addition to overseeing the Society's Information Booth. The Society is grateful to the ANA for graciously providing space for this purpose.

Special thanks are due to Society members who volunteered as hosts at the ANS booth during the convention: Robert Barker; Bruce Bartelt; O.H. Dodson; Lawrence Falater; Thomas Fitzgerald; Thomas Haney; Robert Hatfield; John Hunter; William Kindl; Robert Leonard; Ingrid O'Neil; Donald Valenziano; John Wilson; Stewart Witham; and Charles Wolfe.

The 1985 ANA convention will be held in Baltimore, Maryland. We would appreciate hearing from ANS members who are planning to attend and who would be willing to help us as hosts of our Information Booth.

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